### Banks.

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL .....£2,000,000 CAPITAL PAID-UP ...... 251,093.15.0 CAPITAL & COUNTIES BANK, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE: No 3, PRINCE'S STREET, LONDON.

RRANCHES: BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG AND .`SHANGHAL AGENCIES:

PENANG, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA. RATES OF INTEREST. LLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS and Fixed Deposits can be ascertained

on application. Every description of Banking and Exchange business traffsacted. CHANTREY INCHBALD,

Hotsekous, 6th Fovember, 1803 THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

Manager.

BANKERS:

LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED. INTEREST ALLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the Rate of 2 per-cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:-For 12 Months...... per cent. Manager, Hongkong.

Hangword ith Labruary, 1893 THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA. INCOPPORATED BY K. YAT. CHARTER, 1853.

HEAD OFFICE :- LONDON. RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARE-RESERVE FUND ..... £275,000 RITEREST ALLOWED ON CURKENT A.I. OUNT at the Rate of 2 per cent. per annem on the Daily Balances.

On Fixed Deposits for 12 months...... per cent. 6 1 10 10 114 11 .....3 A. C. MARSHALL Manager, Hongkong Hangkoon: 17 h.May, 1804. THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, SPECIAL RESERVE, Do. ......\$ 134,097 EIMPED.

Authorised Capital . . . . Subscribed Capital... Z 500,000 HEAD OFFI. :- 1 ONGKONG. Corr of Directors;-

I Chow Tung Shang, Esq. D. CHIKS, Exq. Lwan Lol Chuen, P.sq. Chan Kit Shan, Esq. H. Stolterioht, Esq. Chief Manager, GEG. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Branches,-- London, Yokohama, Shanghai and BANKERS:-The Commercial Bank of Scotland.

Parrs Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ld.) Interest for 12 wonths Eixed, 5 per Cent. Hongkong, 16th November, 1893.

## Amusements.

THE HARMSTONS' GREAT SPECIALTY COMPANY,

THE 1. mons HARMST: NS' CIRCUS will for the present postpone the GREAT CIRCUS REVIVAL until a later period, and on the arrival of the Steamer conveying the Company to Shanghal, will give TWO SPECIAL PERFORMANCES

IN THE CITY HALL Introducing the grandest Vaudeville Entertainment ever given in Hongkong. ALL GREAT ARTISTES.

MDLLE. LE BLONDE, La Premiere Dinscuse at La Scala, Milan, Cirque Nouvelle, Paris, and Sir Augustus Harris Pantomime of 1884 at Drury Lane. The most graceful Dancer and Rider in the World, THE FAMOUS ACKERLYS.

None to equal them as Acrobats and Gymnasts. GEORGIE... THE STEWARTS ... JOHNNIE. Grotesque Musical Clowns, the Artistic Wonders of Europe.

MDLLE, OUDINA. The accomplished traprzist; youth and beauty. combined with grace and dating, have carned her fame. First appearance in the East. MISS MAUD LISLE,

The versatile Dancer and Vocalist. WHIMSICAL TOMMY; Musical Clown and Jester. THE ROMAN BROTHERS. Woodward, Eldred, and Johnnie, Accomplished Gymnasts. PEPINO AND DUMMY, The Kings of Laughter.

HARMSTONS' GRAND ORCHESTRA Miss NELLIE BAILEY. Miss BLANCHE,

Miss NAVARRO, Miss L. BOVIS. THE TOMI KITCHI TROUPE. LEO HERNANDEZ, C. BRUCE, F. DUPEZ, P. KLANTO.

and the People's Favorite, Mr. ROBERT LOVE. In his Budget of Songe, THE DALE BROTHERS. American Mimica.

Due notice on arrival of Steemer.

Box Flan at Messre. KELLY & WALER'S, Ld., .CHAS. B. HICKS ..... General Representative. S. REICH ..... Hangliong, 21th May, 1894.

# Insurances.

### THE STANDARD.

### ENDOWMENT ASSURANCE.

I. AMONG THE MANY ADVANT AGES of this form of Assurance, the following may be mentioned :-

(a)—It secures an immediate Provision for wife and family or other relatives in event of early death. (b)-It provides a Fund for Retfrement.

(c)-It supplies an excellent Investment for the regular accumulation of small fixed sums of money. (d)-The Surrender and loan values are larger than under ordinary Policies.

2. AFTER THE POLICY HAS BEEN THREE YEARS IN FORCEshould the Policy-holder wish to discontinue future payments—he will be entitled to receive, on application, a FREE PAID-UP POLICY for a proportionate amount of the Sum Assured, as explained in the Prospectus.

 Full particulars on application, DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

> Agents, STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

Hongkong, 8th August, 1803. SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF ...

NEW ZEALAND. THE Undersigned are prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on fvaourable terms.

Current rates, and a guaranteed Bonus equal to that paid by the local Offices. S. J. DAVID & Co.,

THE TOKYO MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, 5th April, 1804.

HEAD OFFICE :- TOKIO, JAPAN.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,200,000 CAPITAL PAID-UP . GOVERNMENT GUARANTEE ......\$ 400,000 RESERVE FUND, 30th June, 1893.....\$ 548,551 TOTAL RESERVE ...... \$ 682,648

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept RISKS AL CURRENT RATES. For the MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA,

K. FUKUI, Manager. Hongkong, 18th April, 1894.

NOTICE. THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY

LIMITED CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED .....\$1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES On GOODS. &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies. CHAU TSEUNG FAT,

Secretary. HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.

Hongkong, 26th May, 1894. GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY. (LIMITED.) CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000 ) \$833,333.33.

EOUAL TO RESERVE FUND ...... \$318,000.00. BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

LEE SING, Esq. LO YEUR MOON, Esq. Lou Tso Shun, Esq.

MANAGER.-HO AMEI.

MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the World. HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST. Hongkong, 17th December, 1880.

## Intimations.

WANTED, CITUATION as CLERK, CORRESPOND-DENT. BOOK-KEEPER, or in any position of Trust. Knowledge of SPANISH.

clo Hongkong Telegraph Office. Hongkong, 26th May, 1801.

NOTICE. "THE GAP BUFFET" at the TRAMWAY

UPPER TERMINUS is now OPEN. KATHERINE JUNGBLUTH. Hongkong, 12th May, 1804.

J. W. KEW & CO.'S STEAN WATER BOATS PURE FRESH WATER.

HE attention of Shipowners, Agents and CAPTAINS is called to the Superior Quality of TYTAM FILTERED WATER offered by W. KEW & Co., also to the advantages derived from their being able to Supply their Water in one-fourth the time occupied by the old fashloged and obsolete hand pumps. No impeding the loading or discharging of

Call flag "W." Commercial Code. J. W. KEW & Ca. c/o Carmichael & Co., Ld.

# Intimations.

. JUST RECEIVED.

LOYD'S MODERN ARTILLERY. Tanner's Index of Diseases. Seaton's Rules & Tables for Marine Engineers. Murray's Gu'de to Japan. Gulde Australl. and New Zealand. Tolstol-Kingdom of God within you. Smith's-Mao the Primæval Savage. Stromeyer-Marine Boiler Management. Big Game Shooting -- Badminton Liby. Middleton—Surveying & Surveying Instruments.
Lineham—The Street of Human Habitations. Walker's Chess Studies.

WHALL'S HANDY BOOK STARS.
Stanley Gibbon's Stamp Albums. Seul's Stamp Albums. Gibbon's Stamp Catalogues. New Stock Chrystographs for Window Decora-

Will's Capstan Tobacco. Marion's Photographic Dry Plates. New Photo Frames. French Book-Tennis Goods. Cash Boxes-Despatch Boxes. New Fine Art Goods. The Popular Game "Halma."

> W. BREWER. "UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL.

Hongkong, 4th May, 1894.

# CENTRAL HOTEL SHANGHAI.

Electric Lighting throughout the Premises.

Lemaire-Indian Clubs.

Telegraphic Address :--"CENTRAL SHANGHAL"

THIS long-established SELECT Family Hotel, situated on the Bund, facing the river in the centre of the Settlements, is now fitted with the latest modern improvements, including Bath and Dressing, Rooms ATTACHED to Suites and Single Rooms, with hot and cold water laid on, Douche, Shower, Sprays, etc., and heated to a comfortable temperature during winter. COMMODIOUS RECEPTION ROOM FOR VISITORS.

SEPARATE ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNER PARTIES, &-c.

An Assistant attends on Passengers by Mail Steamers. N.B.—Special reduced charges may be arranged for on application to the Manager,

F. E. REILLY,

# DAWSON'S PERFECTION SCOTCH WHISKY.

A. LISTON & CO., SOLE AGENTS, Hongkong and the Par Cast, 68, Queen's Road Central ongkong, 11th December, 1803.

# LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

ICE CREAM FREEZERS, ICE CHIPPERS AND CHISELS. ICE CHESTS.

TICE-WATER PITCHERS, ICE BOWLS, BUTTER COOLERS.

# FILTERS.

LEMON SQUEEZERS, LEMON JUICE EXTRACTORS.

WIND-PROOF LAMPS, VERANDAH LAMPS, PUNKAH LAMPS.

# \*LANE CRAWFORD&C°

### Hongkong, 3rd May, 18c4 THE

# HONGKONG HOTEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, "Kremlin"-A. B. C. Code, TELEPHONE, No. 32.

PROPRIETORS......THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East,

(the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping Offices. The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers.

THE TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the cuising being under experienced supervision. THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lofty and well ventilated, open on t spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communicators.

The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladies' Drawing Rooms, the new, Bar and public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience. The WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expert and the BEST BRANDS only are supplied. HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above. NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

> R. TUCKER. Manager.

TOBACCOS POPULAR TRAVELLER BRAND, In 11b, Tins.

PIONEER THREE CASTLES, In 1 & 4lb. Tins. BIRD'S EYE CAPSTAN BRAND OGDEN'S VIRGINIA, In the Tine, OGDEN'S NAVY CUT OGDEN'S BIRD'S EVE

Hongkong, 17th November, 1809.

GDEN'S SILVER VEIL, In 11b. Tins. COPE'S BIRD'S EYE COPE'S MUTUAL FRIEND Cope's prairie flower COPE'S BLEND MOOSE HEAD TOBACCO. In 41b. Tins.

ST. LEGER SCROLL CUT TWIST do. IN HERMETICALLY SEALED TINS. PERFECTLY BRESH

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

# Intimations.

NOTICE. THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN AND THE STRAITS, LIMITEDA

SHAREHOLDERS are reminded that the FOURTH MISTALMENT of CALL, amounting to Fiv". SHILLINGS per SHARE do the ORDINARY SHARES of the BANK Is DUE on the 1st June, 1891, and is PAYABLE' at the Office of Le Bank, No. 4, Queen's ROAD, either by demand Diaft on London or in Local Currency equivalent.

CHANTREY INCHBALD, Winds Sci. Hongkong, 22nd May, 1894.

NOTICE.

SPECIAL SESSIONS of HER MAJESTY': JUSTICES of the PEACE will be held in the Justicks' Room, at the MAGISTRACY, at Eleven o'clock in the Forencon of MONDAY, the Fourth day of June, AD, 1894, for the purpose of considering an application from one K. J. SHELLIM for the transfer of his Publican's Licence to Sell and Retail Intoxicating Liquors on the Premises situated at house No. z, Jubilee Street, under the sign of "THE COLONIAL HOTEL" to one MORITZ STERNBERG.

H. E. WODEHOUSE, Police Magistrate.

Magistracy, Hongkong, 18th May, 1804.

> NOTICE.

THE PLAGUE.

THE PERMANENT COMMITTEE of the SANITARY BOARD APPEAL to all HOUSEHOLDERS in the COLONY, but more especially to the EUROPEAN, AMERICAN, and other NON-CHINESE, RESIDENTS to give prompt attention to the siete of their KITCHENS, COOK-HOUSTS, SERVANTS QUARTERS and OUT-OFFICES GENE-RALLY, to have them thoroughly CLEANSED and WHITEWASHED without delay, and theo to make a Dailly WisiT and INSPECTION. If these precentions are regularly observed, with the use of DISINFECTANTS in the DRAINS, there is absolutely NO DANGER of the PLAGUE catablishing itself in the European quarters of the City. There may be isolated cases among the Chinese Servants and Coolies who have become infected elsewhere, but no dangerous consequences can follow. It is not possible for the Sanitary Staff, largely re-inforced though it has been from the Army, Navy and Police, to undertake the work of Cleaning and Disinfecting outside the Chinese quarters of the City, but on notice to Mr. RAM, Acting Sanitary Superintendent, at the Board's Offices,

removal of all accumulations of Rubbish and The Committee urge upon ALL HOUSE-HOLDERS the importance and necessity of

arrangements will be made for the prompt

their AT ONCE acting on this advice. For the Permanent Committee Sypitary Board.

INO. J. FRANCIS. Bank Buildings,

## Hongkong, 23rd May, 1894.

THE PHARMACY

FLETCHER & Co. Dispensing and Retail Chemists, Perfetners, Druggists Sundries men and Patent Medicine Vendors.

KEPLER'S MALT .....\$14.00 SCOTT'S EMULSION.....\$23.00

affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre or TOILET A.CCESSORIES :the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf Perfume Bottles, Cut Crystal, Combs, Brushes, Sponges, Sponge Bags, Flesh Gloves Perfumes: -- Pinaud, Atkinson, Colgate, Ricksecker and Brown Performery Co.

> Hongkong, 23rd September, 1893. "DERMATOL," MANUFACTURED by FARBWERKE LVA HOCHST s/M.; its effect in stimulating the closing up of WOUNDS, and in internal administration against diarrhoca, is described as

amaring. D.R. K.NORR'S LION BRAND ANTIPYRINE,

(DOSE FOR ADULTS' 15 TO 35 GRAIMS TROY!)

Is the most approved and most efficacious remedy in cases of HEADACHE, MIGRAINE, NEURALGIA. RHEUMATISM, FEVER, TYPHUS, INFLUENZA, DENGUE, ERYSI-PELAS, HOOPING COUGH, and many other complaints. It is also the very best Antiseptic. Highly recommended by the Medical Faculty. Ask for Dr. KNORR'S ANTIPYRINE! Tin bears the inventor's signature "Dr. KNORR " in red letters.

To be had at every reputed Chemist and Droggist, Supplies constantly on hand at the Chine Export Import and Bank Compagnie. Beware of spurious imitations.

Hongkong, 7th April, 1894. HONGRONG TIMBER

YARD, WANCHAI. REGON PINE SPARS and LUMBER L MALLORY.

# Shipping.

STEAMERS.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, Calling at PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND,

TASMANIA, &c.) BE Steamship

"CATTERTHUN," Captain Shannon, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 5th June, at

This well-known Steamer is specially fitted for Passengers, and has large Cooling Chambers, thus ensuring a supply of Fresh Meat, Ice, &c., throughout the vevage. A duly quall-fied Surgeon and Stewardess are carried. For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.;

Hongkong, 26th May, 1894

FOR NEW YORK.

SAILING VESSELS.

THE 3/3 L I. L American Bark "EDWARD MAY," McClure, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 17th March, 1894.

 FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L.I.I. American Bark.

"ADAM W. SPIES," Meyers, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 17th April, 1804.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE 100 A. I. British Ship

For Freight, apply to

"MATTERHORN, Williams, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick desputch.

SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 12th May, 1804

# Consignees.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES,

STEAMSHIP "MOGUL," FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. THE above Steamer having arrived, Consig-

nees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignsture, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. .

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, 23rd May, 1804.

Auctions.

FOR SALE, THE KUDAT SUGAR ESTATE. HE Resident, acting under instructions from

> the executors of the late Dr. CHAPMAN, will, on the 1st July next,

Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION. at the COURT HOUSE, KUDAT.

the whole of the Property known as DR. CHAPMAN'S SUGAR ESTATE, (situated within 2 miles of Kudst), together with all Houses, Cooly-lines and Machinery on the

Land at the time of Sale, Cattle Carts and heavy crop of Canes now standing. The Property consists of 44 acres 3 roods (of

which 20 acres are planted) and is intersected by the main road from Kudat. This being a GOING CONCERN and only placed in the Market owing to the death of the late Owner, is well worth the consideration of

Sugar Planters. Kudat, 5th May, 1804.

TO BE SOLD

PUBLIC AUCTION, THE VICTORIA COFFEE ESTATE, The Property of the late P. CHRISTIAN, Esq.

BY .

"I'MIS Estate, which is cituated within 3 miles of the Port of Kudat, British North Borneo, comprises in all 300 acres of the finest Coffee Land, 100 acres being cleared and having 25 acres of Coffee in bearing. There is a good Bungalow and Cooly-sheds on the Estate, also a capital Stream of Water, suitable for Pumping Machinery, running through the land, and the main road from Kudat passes through the centre of the Property.

by Public Auction, without reserve, on 1st July, 1894, at Kudat. For further particulars, apply to

The whole of the above Property will be Sold

THE RESIDENT, Kudak

# Untimations.

DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & CO., LD.

D. C. & Co.'s DISINFECTING FLUID.

Similar to-Condy's at quarter the price. Large bottles.....\$0.50 Per gallon .....\$2.00

This is a safe and reliable disinfectant and is not poisonous.

O better preventive against Plague and Disease is possible than a well disinfected

DAKIN, CRUICKSHANK & COMPANY, LIMITED, VICTORIA DISPENSARY,

HONGKONG. Hongkong, 21st May, 1894.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

DISINFECTANTS.

- CARBOLIC POWDER. For the purification of Houses, Cess-pools, Drains, Water-closets, &c., and for the Disinfection of Sick-rooms.

CARBOLIC ACID.

For Disinfecting Purposes. Half an ounce (abbut one table-spoonful) of this Acid when wellamixed with one quart of water forms a superior disinfecting and deodorizing li sid.

Half a pint of the Solution thus formed, when added to any vessel used in the Sick-room, will prevent any unpleasant efficiels, and preserve the contests for Medical inspection. It also purifies Drains, Water-closets, &c.

A lea-spoonful of Carbolic Acid exposed on a plate or other vessels in a Sick-room will purify the air and prevent contagior.

PERMANGANATE DISINFECTANT, Similar to Condy's but cheaper, so cents'a quart bottle. A nice clean disinfectant for Dwelling-room and Bath-rooms.

> CAMPHYLENE POWDER. CAMPHYLENE BALLS. CAMPHYLENE BLOCKS.

> > JEYES! POWDER JEYES' FLUID.

NAPTHALINE.

QUICKLIME. IZAL.

CONDY'S FLUID. CONDY'S POWDER.

SANITAS POWDER. SANITAS FLUID.

- At the p esent time disinfectants ought to be used freely by all,

. All disinfectants used on the higher levels of the city will, in addition to purifying the house drains in which they are used, beneficially affect the condition of the drains on the lower levels, and should be used freely.

Further information can be obtained by personal application to

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD. THE HONGKONG\_DISPENSARY. Hongkong, 16th May, 1804.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

TROM AND AFTER THE 18T OF JANUARY

1894, THE SUBSCRIPTION TO "THE HONG-KONG TELEGRAPH" WILL BE THIRTY DOLLARS PER ANNUM, OR TWO DOLLARS AND A HALF PER MONTH.

ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

BIRTHS. At Ningpo, on the 21st instant, the wife of the Rev. J. C. HOARE, of a daughter. At Wuhu, on the 22nd May, the wife of A. SYLVA, Imperial Maritime Customs, of s

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, MAY 29, 1894.

TELEGRAMS.

THE FRENCH MINISTRY. LONDON, 27th May, 1894. M. Dupuy is endeavouring to form a Cabinet.

FRANCE IN AFRICA. The French Press is daily becoming more acrimonious over the treaty between Great Britain and Balgium coding the province of Babr-el-gazel to the Congo Free State.

to the Foreign Office, has declined to make any

statement regarding the Angle-Chinese Con-

and too feet long. PROFITING by Hongkong's experience, the Acting Superintendent of the Shanghai police force has issued stringent orders to the men to see that no garbage is thrown out into the streets of that settlement after probibited hours, and all cases

of nulsance, stagnant wells and ill-smelling drains are to be immediately reported, TELEGRAPHIC news of the outbreak of a second and distinct rebellion has been received in Japan from Korea. This section is styled the "Western Learning " party and is described as being of

GREAT BRITAIN AND SIAM.

ONE MORE UNFORTUNATE.

Ceylon Legislative Council, has been knighted.

FXETER HALL

been received by the Hongkong Government

(though of course no official information is yet

available) to the effect that the Registration of

Brothels in Hongkong its to be abolished as

If this turns out to be true there will be

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE British gunhoat Pigmy left Shanghal for

A suicing by the good old barbarous process

The victim was implicated in a forgery case.

of hartkird occurred at Oraka on the 7th inst,

COUNT ITO declared in the Japanese House of

Representatives the other day that, if the Strict

Treaty Enforcement Bill be passed, the Cabinet

will feel compelled to again dissolve parliament.

THE N. C. Daily News learns from Nanking

th t Huang Tsu-lub, acting Tsotal of Shanghai,

presented himself before the Viceroy Liu on the

s8th instant to sak for final instructions from the

AT Yokohama on the 14th inst. an employee of

one of the local banks was ribbed of a box con-

taining yes 30 cco in bank-notes and coin.

Late exchanges notify the arrest of some men

in connection with the theft, but up to date the

VERNACULAR newspaper reports that ...

damaged abig, apparently a foreign schooner,

drifted ashore at Muramatsucho Maka-gun, the

other day. The hedy of a man, long dead,

thought to be al foreigner, was found on the

THUS the S. F. Commercial News: - The

schooner Volunteer is now at Aberdeen, loading

with lumber for Chins, and her cargo will make

the sixth that has gone foreign from Gray's

Harbor within a short time. . The Volunteer's

drck-load consists of timbers two feet square

schooner in a horsibly decomposed condition.

latter official before leaving for his post.

money had not been recovered.

good deal to be said before the thing is done.

carly as possible.

Narking on the 21st.

Telegraphic instructions have, we believe,

Mr. J. J. Grinlinton, Unofficial Member of the

Great Britain is placed at a disadvantage.

considerable numbers. All governing officers in the disaffected districts have either fled or been cast into prison. IN accordance with instructions received from the Tsung-li Varren, and at the instance of the

British Minister in Peking, Li Han-chang, Vicer'y of the Liang Kwang provinces, decreed on Saturday last that the Sam-sul-po gambling "hells" be at once closed. And closed they were, but how long they will remain so is a matter of speculation, judging by the contempt shown by opulent gambling-house keepers for a week or a fortnight.

As was expected, the assassination of Kim-okklim has been brought up in the Japanese House of Represent tives in the form of a question put to the Government. The question, scentcing to the Kobs Chronicle, is worded in a marner assertive that two men were sent to Japan to assessinate rot only Kim-ok-kinn, but ar other politician who had taken refuge in Japan, this help proved by documents showing they were instigated by the King of Korea, and proceeds to ask what s'eps the Japanese Government intends to take against Korea for i's efforts to disturb the peace and tranquillity

THE N. C. Daily News of the 23rd inst. reports that there is a strange rumour circulating among towns at the mouth of the Yangtse-Shanghai with the spirit which has called you to this stopped before an appreciable quantity of water [5] and its neighbours within a radius of fifty miles -will be visited this year by a great flood. Much fear is expressed at the receipt of recent news from Hankow and other Yanktse towns that the freshets there are increasing in volume and rapidity and that the great river had risen ten fert over what it was at the same time last. year. Some natives interviewed by a representative of this paper ascribed the origin of the rumour to the presence of a Taoist itinerant priest who has been going round the streets of the settlements and suburbs throwing out mysterious bints to that effect; to anyone who would listen to his tattle. The Taoist priest is said to have disappeared suddenly.

in the religious dancing, so that not a spe

tembined unoscuried.

vention, until quite certain that it has reached A PROCESS of forming artificial whale-bone from animal hair, consisting in subjecting the bair to a softening bath, then to a bath of acetic acid and, finally, placing the mass under great Exception has been taken to any commercial pressure, has been invented. agreement between France and Siam by which

A LION-TAMER was lately brought into court by the Royal Cociety for the Prevention of Cruelty 'n Animals of London on the charge of "cruelly beating, ill-treating and forturing a certain rnimal, to wir, a lion." He was acquitted.

AT the Magistracy to-day a coolle living in Shui Hang Lane was fined \$25 by Mr. Wodehouse for injecting morphine into rixteen customers this morning. In default he went to can for a month, and his stock-in-trade was confiscated. All there forfelted stocks of morphine and hypodermic syringes are presumably destroyed.

Times are evidently very hard with clerks, etc., In Australia. We read that a Melbourne firm the other day got 16; replies to an advt, for a junior clerk. Men of all ages were among the applicants. Many offered to work for from 4s. to ros, a week, and one genius, who claimed to be a shorthand writer and type-writer, yolunteered to work for six months without a dary.

It is said that an incredible amount of smuggling. le crailed on between Japan and Korea, and that being stradily undermined No fewer than 5,000 craft, ortensibly fishing-hosts, are e gaged in there operations which are carried on with impunity, the Korean officials being either unable or unwilling to interfere with them.

GOOD-NATURED Yankee remarks about Adellas Pattl :- " Selfish, unprogressive, avaricious, she has never thought of her art as aught but money-making enterprise; and now, sans voice, sans looks, sans everything, she is once more before the American public, cap in hand, beggins a few more dollars, for which she gives naugh in veture but a few old-fashioned arias that she has been singing nearly forty years."

AMONG the passengers striving in Shanghai from the North last week, was Dr. Martin of Peking who is en routs for the United States, being ordered home for the treatment of cancer on the face. Owing to the nature of his disease, be was not able either to make or receive visite during his brief stay in Shanghai, The N. C. Datly News states that it is authorised to say that Dr. Martin has not resigned the presidency of the Imperial Tungwen College, but goes on leave for one year. Professor Oliver acting as president ad interim.

A TONEIN contemporary says :- " A pirate chief named Tay, who has plundered the province of Hanol for ten years past, was tried on the 16 h May, condemned and executed the same day. As wavel at such executions, the tong-doc (a local official) attended in full state, mounted on a scarlet-clothed elephant. The condemned It is bad enough, however, as it is, and shows ows smile when taking a Hupan.

Bir bbs :- Three of us went-out in a steamaunch on Sunday, and sow two tigor-cubs playng about on the mainland within a stone's throw of the water's edge.

Blobbs :- Came away again, No telling where

Nobbs :- Yes, here you are, cash down! Where was it you saw the animals? Blobbs :-Hing Kee's gardens at Macao. bought them a month ago, and their eyes are hardly op n yet.

politicians, called at the instance of six "rigid | water can penetrate. This new composition is foreign rolley" sections and held at Tokyo on previous proclamations of a like nature-possibly | the 8th inst., the Jopan Gasette reports the gathering was attended by over a thousand Tani Sogs, and several other members of the | vessels for passenger service. The guests wit Upper House, as well as members of the Lower House and others belonging to the six sections. The police, numbering about 80, questered themselves in seven places up and down the lug King, and the water was first let out of a 2 stairs and were vigilantly watching the proceed- inch hole, which was stopped in twenty seconds logs. The entrance was decorated with two by the cellulose protectors, in spite of a twelve large national flags, and red and white curtains | feet water pressure. The second hole, ten were stretched in every direction, while a band | inches in diameter, same pressure, was stopped was playing under a tent in the garden. Seeing in one minute. The third hole, twenty-one the vigilance of the police, the promoters feared | inches long, average width, five inches, had its dissolution, and were consulting to draw up flow stopped within one and a half minutes by the assembly to an open-air meeting at Uyeno, the use of three protectors. Constructor Nixon, The fear, however, was not realized. When when the test was over, said : "The experithe clock struck one, Viscount Tani rose and ment was a signal success, and the holes were addressed the meeting very briefly thus; "I stopped in remarkably short periods. The have many things of which I wish to speak to you | sailor on a man-of-war henceforth need dread no on this occasion, but I will now refrain from sudden sinking on account of a projectile. By the natives of Shanghal to the effect that the dolog so. I only wish you to act in conformity the use of cellulose almost any leak can be meeting," This short address was followed by | can rush in," loud and prolonged cheers, when the Viscount again rose and said:- "Our country has never once received an insult from foreign countries, for twenty odd centuries. You should give cheers for his Imperial Majesty." The suggestion was instantly responded to by three loud cheers, and the policemen present all uncovered in deep reverence. Then began the dinner, and the meeting dispersed at about six

be gould carlly have ended) the disturbance?

IT is said that the credit of having upset the calculations of the stilking cargo-hoat people the 23rd for Japan. rightly belongs to Mr. H. E. Hobson, Commissioner of Customs; the Registrar General and his brilliant staff being quite helpless in the matter. In fact, they seemed to know just as much of the affair as was published in the newspapers from information original'y supplied by the police, and no more.

SAYS the New York Maritime Register :- It is reported that progress is being made by the birthday. British Government towards arranging for the patrol of the North Atlantic in order to destroy derelicts. Our B-lijek cousing are very deliberate but they generally "get there" in the end. is unfortunate, that this work of destroying Which'll it be?" derelicts has not been already well underway, but it is to be hoped that it will now be soon in active operation, It may appear an easy assertion to say that many missing ships have been destroyed by derelicts, but when it is remembered how often vessels have reported damage from this cause, it cannot be denied that derelicts are dangers that should no be allowed to exist,

THE Hyogo News tells the following story of a haffled miracle-monger: Not long since in Idzu province a Shinto attendant invited a great multitude of people to witness his performance assembly, and in it some flowers were put. The man then began to pray fervently to his gods, numbering about 8,000,000, and when he finished praying be brought forward a bottle which war, he said, filled with clean wrter, "Look on the flowers in the vase." he instructed his audience, "and if I drop the water in the vase, the spirits of gods will come and abide on the flowers." The audi nce all looked and were much surprised when they saw the flowers moving as if alive. A young man present exclaimed, 'Ab, that's easy: I can do that without ar grd. Only put a lew fishes in the vase first an then drop strong sake in. The fish will begin to struggle to get out and the flowers will move. The mystery was thus exposed, and next morning his holiness left the village in disguise, moving on to pasts unknown.

WRITING under date the 23rd inst, the Nanking correspondent of our Shanghai morning contemmurders committed recently in the Viceroy's yamen here is altogether unknown in Nanking. and those of us who have read the report in the WHEN E. C. Stedman heard that Rishop Potter N. C. Daily News have been somewhat at a loss to account for such a tumour. Yesterday evening. centleman who has returned from Changaha, cent up-rising in that province he remarked that I be established ! the Kolao Hul rebels had burned the ancestral home of H.E. Llu K'un-yi and that they had beheaded one of his sons who was living there On being asked particularly whether the un fortunate man was really a son of our Viceroy, h replied that he was not a son but a rephew. This is doubtless the foundation of the whole story. man maintrined remarkable sang-froid to the how bitter is the feeling of the Kolao Hui very end. He looked round smiling until his head against the man who has pursued its members dropped off, and even then his features retained so mercilessly. My informant remarked that the same placid e "es ion." This is nothing the Viceroy Liu would not dare to return to

An experiment with a device for swiftly stopping and repairing leaks in the sides of vessels, caused by holes or reuts from any cause, is reported to have been made at Philadelphia a few weeks since by Naval Constructor Nixon, OUR Shanghal morning contemporary learns Nobbs : - Jumping Jehosaphat | What did you attached to Cramp's shipyard as the Governcause it to swell in bulk when it comes in present. contact with water, and causes it tightly to fill in REFERRING to the big "convivial" meeting of every ragged opening or crevice through which now in use on the cruizers and battle ships of the United States Navy on account of automatic action in case of a leak, and it will be persons, including Prince Konoye, Viscounts introduced in the future in the construction of nessed the experiments at the invitation of the Franco-American Cellulose Company, Three large iron tanks of water were filled by the police WRITING under a late date the Kiukiang corre-

spondent of the N. C. Dally News, thus :-- ? have recently come across a curious book called the Shao-bing-ko or "Ode to the Baked Cakes," It is a book more or less forbidden and yet in the hands of almost all literary men and, I am informed, officials. Everybody seems to know more or less of its contents. The book is not printed but is copied by hand, and thus passed on from family to family. There must be millions THE Shensi correspondent of the N. C. Dally of them in existence in China. It purports to News wilter as follows : - There has just been a have been written 500 years ago in the reign of most unfortunate breach of the peace at Huhslen | the first Ming Emperor, T'al Tso. The Emperor -a city not far from Helanin. The Roman consulted with one Liu Kee, who gave him a In connection with the recent Buddhist cele. Catholic Christians got into trouble respecting glimpse of events to come. All the way through brations in Japan, the Os ke correspondent of the ownership of a temple site which they had, the style is that of a puzzle and is very the Hyogo News writes as follows :- The 12th rightly or wrongly, enclosed and claimed as the difficult to understand. But it is a strange fact of May now corresponds to the 6th of April, on properly of the Catholic Church. Two foreigners | that the names of all the Emperors of the Ming which day Buddha was born in Ceylon, about -one a Frenchman and the other an English- and Tsing dynasties down to the present can be 2,500 years ago. On the former day the temple | man-went to prosecute. On arrival they had | evolved therefrom. It is impossible to illustrate of Amida Ike, at Horie, Osaka, was as usual a "warm" reception, for burning torches were these names and facts without quoting from the thronged with devotees to partake of Amacha thrown into their cart and at night the Catholic book in Chinese; the puzzles lose their meaning or sweet tea. It is said, that when Buddha was premises were set on fire. The foreigners fled when put into English, but in Chinese the method born, the water with which his sacred body was to the yamen but were roughly handled and is quite intelligible. The events predicted come washed was changed into sweet tes, and the cast into prison. The magistrate now fearing down to the present Emperor. Tung Chi and custom of drinking this beverage on the anniver- the consequences besought them to come out; Kuang. Hall are referred to as rulers who will sary has continued ever since. The temple, as but that they refused to do. Later on the Pre- come to the throne as children. Your readers well as its precincts, was crowded with loud- fect sent a deputy to arrange matters and after will perhaps know that there is a widespread idea voiced pilest, itinerant vendors of all description the foreigners were all over China that the days of the present tions, and mendicants. The holy image was liberated with honour and escorted in reduce, dynasty are about to end. The book I am replendently framed, and innumerable candles Immediately Peking was communicated with describing is perhaps responsible for this, and were lighted ; fore it by the pipus. In a pond and both the French and British Ministers wired states very clearly that the Chinese will rebel in the enclosure, distinguished by the octagonal for info:mation; so meantime the case is sub sgainst their Manchu masters and drive them building in its centre to which access is gained fudice, and the end is not yet. Whatever the with slaughter back to their own lands. The by a stone bridge, are a multitude of tostoises settlement, this case will increase the difficulties present Emperor is said to be the last of the mercifully fre d by their owners in this place of Liendly relations and urquestions by incense Tsing that will come to the throne, he is the that throughout their long lives they may the officials. The Englishman is the R. P. Hugh | pinth ruler, and the Ode says that the family will remember the mercy shown them and bring | Scallan, described in a Catholic periodical as "le | then by empty. There are prophecies of war bleseings up n their benefactors even after death. | courageux provicaire que les san utiers ont and desolation, and it is also said that the Many more were thrown in on this occasion. tents desjouter naguère a la giorieuse liste des country will be split up into three Kingdoms, each The temple is f. mous for a brorg: Buddha said | mertyres de Chius." He was maltreated last | with a separate King, There is also a mysterious to have been brought from China some seventeen year in the porth. There are two questions reference to a class of people who are called centuries ago. For a time it was neglected and which ream of the first importance in lovertige. pang-fee or "dishevelled hair men," that is men a'l day, a severe positionce amont over the district. Then ting these disturbances ;- (1) How far did the whose hair is not gathered into a queue. Some it was found again in the pend, and the temple Catholic Christians assume the "imperium in refer this to foreigners. The Chinese everystill known as "Buddha's Pond" was set up in Imperio" attitude, relying upte the protection where are confident that great changes are calculated on each call from the time it became about. This falling-off of the Canton revenue ANGLO-CHINESE CONVENTION.

Six Edward Grey, the Parliamentary Secretary

lits honour. The day's festival was conjuned of their priest instead of secking an amicable impending, and names of prominent rulers have settlement? (2) How far did the Melon magis
been mentioned as possible leaders. These trate really make an effort to prevent or and (as things are not talked of by the natives openly,

THE British gunboat Plover left Chinkiang on

DURING the past eleven years 72,878 persons have emigrated from Japan, the annual average being 6,443.

THE Alacelty, with Admiral Sir E. Fremantle vicusals week the appalling proportions of the on board, was at Shanghal on the 24th, and fired death-roll, as it will then inevitably be, should

"Now," solliegnised the beachcomber, who had just begoed twenty cents, "If I get shaved I'll look good, ant if I get a drink I'll feel good,

THE new Germ'n uniform, in which the spiked

helmet is to be replaced by the kept, or fatigue

can makes the marching kit of the German

soldier thirteen prunds lighter than it was. SMALL-POX has been more or less prevalent in Negesaki and other districts of Japan for some time past and has now appeared in Osaks. Two

Miss Newcome (in front of the Clob): What of a miracle. A flower vese was set before the | are all those fellows, hanging over the railings Mrs. Comso: Sh-! That's where they put

cases were discovered there on the 17th inst.

the 'drunks' to tober up. PRAPL shells have been discovered off the coast of Japan at a douth of from two to six fathirms So far the finds have not been phenomenal, but the enterprise is likely to be continued and

THE Fapon Herald of the 10th inst, reports the transaction of an enormous tes business at Vokohame. In ten days 78,300 piculs of ten were disposed of, se compared with 45 300 piculs for a corresponding period of 1803.

MR. SUGITA. a well-known member of the present Ispanese Parliament, was to have been put upon his trial on a charge of attempted wilful murder on the 15th inst. Politice caused porary says :- The rather startling story of the dispute, and Sugita's step-brother was the

was advocating the founding of a Westminister Abbey in America he sent word to him that however, your correspondent met an Annamese | he should be most happy to kill off the first ten poets for the poets' corner. Such patriotism is in Hunan. In conversation regarding the re- worthy of record. By all means let the abbey

> OUR moribund evening contemporary the China Teady, in last night's incur, makes use of the meaningless expression "His Excellency" four times in the first seventeen lines of a paragraph. on gaming houses at Sem-shul-po. Evening Macsycophant is evidently trying hard for a C. M. G. ship.

> WE read that Captain Geo. W. Goodwin, who commands the steel ship Dirigo leading Philadelphia for Japan, was mate of a ship when only to years old and has gone around Cape Horn 33 times. His wife and son will sall with him. The Dirigo carries 24 men, including two mates and two bostswains.

from native sources at Chungking that shippers ment supervisor for the Navy, and a company of of Indian cotton yarn have been losing largely other Navy officers. The device is known as this year by their speculations in this article. the big tiger might be, you know. Say, do you the Colomes Life and Ship Protector, and is a Buyers at cost price have been extremely scarce French invention protected by a United States in that city of late, so that traders with small patent. It comprises a simple mechanical capital have been forced, in order to save further contrivance for applying to the leak or bole and charges, to sell at Shanghai figures only. No le firmly securing it a composition of amorphous Szechuan merchant, it is said, dares to contract cellulose, the absorbent qualities of which for further shipments of Indian yarn for the

> PRIVATE advices have been received by the N. C. Daily News from Tientain to the effect that the Stewards of the Tientsin Race Club had refused to grant permission to Mr. Frank Dallas, the well-known Shanghai jockey, to ride at the late race meeting. It was understood that Mr. Dallas had been asked to ride for Count Cassini of Peking. Colonel Wogack had shown his disapproval of the decision of the Stewards by resigning, not only his stewardship but also his membership of the Race Club.

SAYs the Japan Herald of the 16th inst .: - The sir is pregnant with remours, so much ar, indeed, that stormy political times are impending; the throes attendant on the evolution of party and responsible Government are likely to lead to the shipwreck of the Ito Cabinet, or to enforce its resignation. The Opposition, seemingly, are disposed to ignore the Administration, and without more ado, are bringing forward addresses to the Throne which are in reality impeachments of the Ministry. Politics seem to have practically resolved themselves into a tug-of-war between the adherents of the clan system, and their opponents. The next few days of parliamentary proceedings will be likely to see some startling developments. Count Ito and his colleagues' official bed of roses will be found to be so much possessed by thoras, that quitting it will be shorn of half its chagrin.

SUPREME COURT.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

(Before Mr. E. J. Ackroyd, Acting Chie

May 20th.

THE MATIONAL BANK C The National Bank of Chins, Limited, sued Himkee Alum of Foochow for £2,280 sterling, vicinity of Canton send their export cargo the amount of calls on shares. Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C., and Mr. H. E. Pollock, instructed by Mr. V. H. Descon, appeared for the plaintiffs, and Mr. E. Robinson, instructed by Mr. H. L. Dennys, was for the defendant,

Mr. Francis moved for judgment on the decision given by a special jury on five questions. last week, as reported in these columns at the their depot, now send their goods direct to

His lerdship :- There was a point reserved, a point that you took immediately after the petition and answer; I would like to hear you on that point now, Mr. Francis-that, taking all | the capital of the provinces. Excessive charges the facts alleged in the defendant's answer as being correct, yet that answer does not afford speaking of hearsay, but have been to several of any defence to the petition.

Mr. Francis :-- I don't know that I can add very much to the arguments adduced then ; I can do very little more then repeat what I have

THE PLAGUE IN HONGRONG

Since the issue of our last report on the plague, then bad enough in all conscience, matters have become distinctly alarming owing to the rapid. increase in the number of fresh cases and proportionate increase in the death-roll. If this society, state of affairs continues during the the usual salute in honour of the Queen's suffice to convince even the most sceptical that the measures adopted by the sanitary authorithe with a view to checking the spread of this very fatal di ease are not even yet adequate and that still more drawle repressive measures must be ed pted forthwith; such as the wholesale demolition of insanitary plague-begetting hovels in Tal-ping-shan and other infected localities and the passing of an ordinance very similar to the Metropolitan Buildings Act, in force in London, which enables the authorities to compel landfords to promptly cleanse their houses to the satisfaction of the sanitary authorities, and empowers the latter body to condemn and raze to the ground any tenements they consider a menace to the public health. The present is an exceptional though not altegether unexpected crisis, and reeing that the bot season is now setting in, the eradication of this loathsome plague would appear to be practically impossible, unless extraordinary measures are enforced without respect to wealthy propertyowners or any one cise.

It is notified that the Messageries Maritimes mail steamer Natal, leaving Hongkong for Europe to-morrow, will take neither passengers nor cargo from this port, with a view to avoiding quarantine in ports of call.

The homeward-bound German mail steamer Preussen arrived here this morning from Shanghal and with a view to avoiding detention at ports of call en route to Europe anchored in Kowloon Bay. In common with the French mails she took hence neither cargo nor passengers, and felt a few hours after arrival.

So far from the allegations of Chinese medicos and others that the foreign doctors have not cured a single plague-stricke : patient, it is a fact that Doctors Lowson and Penny have cured several patients, of both sexes, and that there are now In the Kennedy-town hospital no less than twenty-five patients who are quite convalescent, and who will, Dr. Lowson courteously informs us, shortly be discharged cured.

A fatal case of plague has been reported as having been discovered in the coolie quarters at the rear of Mesers. A. E. Skeels & Co.'s auction rooms on Praya Central. The premises have since been thoroughly disinfected and during the pist 24 hours no fresh cases have been reported in the neighbourhood,

A very amusing and instructive incident occurred yesterday in Jonnection with the arduous cleansing operations now being carried on by men drawn from the Garrison. It appears that Mr. Granville Sharp, the opulent philanthropist, happened to stop near a hovel which "Tommy Aiking " was hard at work upon, and gezing in amszment at the subblah in the street the good old gentleman walted until a soldier, fresh from the fray, bounced out in to the street gasping for a breath of fresh air, a d in his baste humped up against the aged one. Struck by the appearance of the manthe good old land-owner asked whether here was anything he could do to help the movement. "No," was the reply, " you can't do nuffink It's the d-d landlords as we wants to get 'old off - the brutes as lives on the rents of such like hell-fire bovels. Them's our mark, I! ought to be made d-d ot for them felk, and the somer the better." Needless to add the voters: philanthropist didn't aid "Tommy" worth a cent, and on the contrary pop, ed into his ricketty licksha and made a bee-line for "home, sweet

The manager of the Russian kerosene oil depôt at Sam-sul-po (Kowloon) reported two cares of plague to day among his nativeemployees, who are, it appears, gradually leaving the district.

Tais afternoon a private in the Shropshire Light Infantry, who had been engaged in houseto-house visits with the emergency corps of the sanitary authorites, was found to be suffering from plague, in a very mild form, and was at once removed to the Hygeta. This is the first European attacked, and is not regarded as a scrious case.

Appended are the latest statistics. From noon yes erday unill noon to-day: --New Deaths Disch. Rem. under cured Hygela ..... 0 Kennedy-town 12\* Glass Works... 30 Private houses o

Total..... 30 \*Transferred from Hypeia to Kennedy-town, Deaths from the outbreak (5th May) up to May 28th, noon, 431; grand total, 457. Latest news from Canton Is to the effect that although the plague is claiming less victims in that city than has been the case for weeks past, yet it is causing sad havor in towns and villages

to the northward and westward of the City of

CORRESPONDENCE. (We do not persently endorse the opinions expressed by

IKIN SOUELZES AND CANTON TRADE. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGKONG TRLEGRAPH." SIR, -One of your Canton correspondents wrote

you a few days ago that there were no Chinese tide-walters at Canton, nor at any other Treaty Port except Amoy, and he thought it was about time that Chinese were employed, as they were cheaper, and the revenue of Canton was falling off more every year. Perhaps it may do him, and your readers generally, good to have these teatements cleared up and contradicted. To begin at the bottom: The revenue is

falling off considerably; 1st for oplum, because it is being amuggled right and left with the consivance of the Hongkong Government (and why not?), and the employment of Chinese instead of foreigners will not remedy that ; and for general cargo, because the towns in the direct to Hongkong instead of vid Canton as formerly, to avoid the outrageous squeezes of the Canton Hills crowd. Nearly all their charges have been raised lately to such an extent as to be almost prohibitive, and large manufacturing places like Sheklung Fatshan, Tungkun, etc., etc., instead of using Canton and Hongkong. In that case they pay the liking dues at the place of export, where the officials are not as grasping as the Cantonese and cannot afford to be so, not being as strong as those in there would probably cause a riot. I am not these places and made enquiries.

There is the cause and the remedy is not, an your correspondent would suggest, and as the Customs authorities are actually doing, in the reduction of expenses by the cheaper working of the preventive department; that will never raise Arguments then proceeded as before, lasting the revenue. There is only one remedy, namely to hand over the collection of all taxes and duca His lordship gave judgment for £2,280 sterling | to the Foreign Customs, and the Foreign Powers peyable waill judgment, together with interest many he of a hemperary benefit to householders on the total amount at 8 per cent, per annum of flenghour, bet that benefit is small and and from judgment will payment, and all east of world the desirate does to the total payment, and all east of world the desirate does to the total payment.

Chircae Government). Hongkong; Canton, and smuggled on board in boxes. According to the Macao S. S. C., please note! As regards Chinese | Tapan Gazette, the presence of the unfortunate tidewaiters (?) there are about 30 in Canton and girls was made known when the sound of raphave been for a long time, and as many to ping was heard coming from a box on deck Shanghai, and beautiful specimens they are; accompanied by the words in Japanese no respectable coolle would become a Customs searcher. There are none in Amoy-as yet.

> Yours truly, "LOOK AHEAD."

Hongkong, 26th May, 1894.

THE PLAGUE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE " HONGKONG TELEGRAPH." SIR,-To cur curtain knowledge this island has not for more than fifty years suffered from any serious epidemic; nothing at all events so "dire in its ravages as the plague, which is now daily claims g so many victims. The seasons of Hongkong remain practically the same from year to year; even the rainfalls vary but little; where then, and how, did the disease originate? There is but one answer; in the vile drains of the colony, and the still viler sewage system introduced a few years back. In my opinion the disease in liself is not contagious, for if it were would not at least some of the doctors, nurses, attendants and undertakers, daily in close contract with the patients, have caught i and developed it? When local scientists are sailsfied that the source of the disease bas been traced to our defective drainage system. will be the measures of reform recommended by them? . An up-rooting of the whole wretched bungle and a return to the old, and, in my opinion, far healthler style of oven dyains. I sincerely hope so: New ard effective sanitary by-laws cruid be drawn up and enforced, for the necessity of constant attention to the dr. ins under such circumstances would be ever b fore the satitary officials; this cannot truthfully be said of the existing system. the explanation apparently being "out of sight, out of mind."

was made. The intention of those who had As regards the plague itself and the efforts now bei in made by the authorities to check its progress, nothing need be said by me; everything possible is being done, but, at best, it is only surface work, for unless our whole sewage system is put into bealthy working order what guarantee is there that Hongkong may not again be plaguestricken next and every summer?

Seurs truly. A CHINAMAN.

Queen's Road West, Hongkong, May 29th, 1894.

POSTAL ANOMALIES.

1) THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGKONG TELEGRAPH." SIR,-Permit me to call attention through the medium of your widely read columns to the anomalous state of affairs connected, with the foreign postal service, which should, I think you will readily concede, receive the prompt consideration of the Chamber of Commerce, East and the foreign governments constituting Consular Court. the Poltal Union. As an example of the anomalies to which I refer it "will be sufficient to point out that, for instance, while the letter postage per half-cuace hence to London is ; cents only, to adjugent Eastern ports such as Shanghal, Yokohama, Singapure and Sandakan it is 5 cents, and to London vid the United States to conta per half-ounce. Seeing that the distance from Hongkong to the Oriental ports named is at the upmost only one-tenth of that covered by mail books bearing correspondence to the United Kingdom or Continental ports, it seems strange that the commercial communities of the Far Mast move neither hand nor foot to bring to an end a state of affairs for which i would be difficult to find any justification.

The local postage of two cents is, it, may be added, distinctly excessive, and might well be reduced to one cent per half-ounce.

Seeing that most of what may be termed local mails are carried on cossting steamers, there would seem no reason why such correspondence should not be taken at the Post Office at phenomenally low rates, unless the coasting steamable companies demand a substantial quid pro quo for carrying local malls, and if that be the reason for the exorbitant rates quoted above, why is not that branch of the unstal service conducted on thorough business lines under special contract and a statement of the cost of the local service published to the Postmaster Gmeral's appual report in a clear and concise, manner? But I may be getting off the track or into deep water, so will conclude by asking you to kindly favour me with your valued opinion on the subject generally, in order that whatever may be the state of affairs it may be set forth clearly and the fault, if any, be set at The right door. Yours faithfully.

NEW CHUM.

Hongkong, 29 b May, 1894

THE COLLISION IN AMOY HARBOUR.

We are indebted to the courtesy of Mr. J. S. van Burem local agent of the Pacific Mail and Occidental and Oriental Steamship Companies, for the following particulars relative to the collision in Amoy harbour on Saturday between the Ocean Steamship Company's steamer Ulysses, Captain W. P. Lapage, and the O. and O. Company's steamer Belgic, Captain Wm. H. Walker, to which we referred briefly in our last

It appears that the Belgic was at her flower in London. buoy off Kulangau at I o'clock last Saturday afternoon, taking in tea, and that while so ground railroads in Paris just now. moored the Ulysses, making for her berth, ran into the former vessel amidships, culting 7 feet into her awoing deck, smashing vate friendly relations with France. two of her boats, splitting one of her side plates, and twisting several of the awningdeck stanchions. A tea cargo-boat alongside posed increase in the duties on tobacco. smashed to atoms, and sank immediately. After the collision the Ulysses backed out and was taken to her berth without further trouble. The Belgic was examined by Lloyds' Surveyor during the afternoon and declared perfectly seaworthy, all the injury being above water. There was therefore no delay shout despatching her on her voyage to San Francisco on Sunday morning, and she left Amoy at the hour previously fixed for her departure, There is, we understand, no likelihood of litigation in respect to the claim for damages which the owners of the Belgic will present in due course in Liverpool to the owners of the Ulysses, as there is no ground for any question as to which vessel was in the wrong.

The repairs to the Belgic will probably be effected in San Francisco.

The Ulysses appears to have come out of the affair with nothing more than the loss of a little paint caused by the crash into the cargo-boat.

SMUGGLING JAPANESE GIRLS IN BOXES.

Shortly before the Northern Pacific Mail Co.'s | they have authorized its use in the arms steamship Tacoma sailed from Yokohama for Provision is to be made for greatly enlarging Victoria, B. C., on the 19th inst., considerable | the British Museum. Five and a half acres will excitement was caused by the accidental dis- be added to the ains acres already occupied, application, covery that a number of Japanese girle hill been | through purchase from the Duke of Mediord.

to Oseen Victoria, as the representative of the Pope, to thank her Majesty for the full liberty accorded to Roman Catholics in Great Britain. of the well-known masses of Mozart, Haydn and "Open the box." The hox, the lid of which Weber. He expresses the opinion that they are was securely fastened, was immediately opened and to the astoniahment of the ou-lookers a girl was discovered huddled up inside. The occupant was got out, and she was apparently delighted to be rescued from her cramped and pedlous position. Additional wonderment was aroused when an investigation showed that thre other girls were similarly imprisoned. With as little delay as possible these too were released. Two of them were in a sorry plicht, both unconscious and apparently dead. All four were at once conveyed by the water police to the English hatobs, where they were temporarily accommodated in the police box. One of the four had to be carried from the boat. The boatmen who carried her appear to have concluded that life was extinct as they had covered the face and body with a thick blanket. Upon the blanket being removed, it was seen that there was some colour in the cheeks; and the application of cold water revived her. Two of them were able to walk to the Settlement Station, followed by the rag-tag-and-bob-tall of the hatoba. That they were not all suffocated seems a marvel. The boxes, which differed very little in size, measured about 2ft. or 2ft. 3ln. In length, 1ft, 6ln. wide, by 1ft, 3ln. high. All the lids were securely fastened and, It is said, locked. Provision had been made for the edmission of air by boring three or four holes in the bottom of each box, but most of these must have been covered by the clothing which the girls wore. There was also a little bread in each box. The girls have had a perilous experience, for it is understood that the boxes were on the paint of being lowered into the hold when the discovery as to their contents

SIAM NOTES.

charge of the trunks would appear to have been

to release the occupants immediately after the

vessel left ber berth; but it seems the officers

declined to allow the boxes to be taken to the

steerage quarters, as they would occupy so much

room. Two of the girls were subsequently

placed under medical treatment, and some of the

persons engaged in the netarious smuggling

business ar ested.

BANGKOK, 18th May, 1894.

The French gunboat Pluvier. Commander Vedel, arrived in the river on Thursday and anchored off the French Consulate at 10 a.m. The President of the Court, two judges, and the French prosecuting barriager were on board. The trial is expected to commence without delay, of the whole busin as communities of the Farmand, will probably take place in the French

.The authorities, we understand, have inaugursted a reform which cannot fail to yield good results in the near future. Surprise visits are being made by officials to the interior for the purpose of investigating crime and ascertaining the state of the outlying provinces. The observations are to be embodied in a report which will be forwarded to headquarters. It is to be hoped that this system of observation will be applied to all the bot-beds of crime, and order and justice made to take the piace of tyranny and lawlessness, under which the peasantry groad.

The Slamese have a method all their own of conducting their affairs. Phra Thoralek bas V been kept in close confinement for the past year or so for certain alleged money transactions while in charge of the Telegraph Department. Now he is to be prosecuted for the recovery of balf-a-million ticals, for which sum the authorities allege the vouchers are missing. What most people will ask is-why was not the prosecution begun last year? and why was the late Telegraph. Superintendent imprisoned for a year without any charge being brought against him?

The elephant hunt at Ayuthia was witnessed by a fair number of foreigners and a goodly number of Slamese petty officials. The invitations were evidently entrusted to some well-bred officials of the Foreign Office, since some of the foreign representatives were omitted. Nevertheless the drive, or bunt, or whatever term is preferred, was very enjoyable, and the proceedings afforded a great deal of amusement to the oplookers,- Most of the elephants were half tame, having several times been driven into Ayuthla before. But there were a few recalcitrant youngaters which refused to be hustled about at the sweet will of the human pigmles and their prodding-irons. There was some little excitement at the commencement, which a steady downpoor of rain speedily damped. The show was shorn of much of its usual attraction by the absence of royalty and the blg-wigs of Siam. The skill and agility of the drivers appear to have evoked great commendation from all present.-Stam Free Press.

NEWS AND GOSSIP.

Vienna has to oco empty houses. ... Great Britain has 700 millionaires." The per capita debt of France is \$116. Emperor William drinks Kentucky whisky. Tasmani: boasts a 5,400-pound nugget of tin.

The daffodil is this season the most popular

There is a good deal of talk about under-King Humbert of Italy declares that all

Europe desires peace; his own nation will culti-The tobacco merchants of Great Britain have

been thrown into a state of panic by the pro-After many years of bard fighting the Sunday opening of picture galleries in London has just been conceded by the County Council. The King of Italy has conferred the order of

St. Maurice and St. Lazarus on Sir Joseph Lister, M. Pasteur and Professor Rudolph Virchow. The most enthusiastic descriptions are given of Pondoland, the new South African district, which has just come under the control of Cape

English naval authorities say that the days of gunpowder as a charge for naval guns are numbered, new and superior explosives having come to the front.

That German recruit who is under arrest for having Socialist mottoes tattooed on his breast evidently meant that his convictions should be more than skin deep,

The unpopularity of vaccination in England among parents is said to have led to a new form of offence, consisting in falsely declaring the place of birth on registering the child. The London Court Journal is authority for the statement that forty new war-ships of the

British Navy are lying idle in British dockyards, because of lack of sailors to man them. The German military authorities have been for some years testing the brandy made in Callfornis, and it has won their favour so far that

of too florid a character to be conducive to plety. Lady Henry Somerset recently made a ninedays' lecture trip in England, during which she addressed over 2 1000 persons on intemperance, and was presented with twenty-seven public Agriculture in England is at its lowest cbb. Every year sees more and more land going out of cultivation. Last year the decrease was 176,000 arres, and since 1873 nearly 2,000,000 acres have been abandoned. It is reported that an English officer named Harrington has discovered in India a working telephone between the two temples of Pauj, about a mile apart. The system is said to have been in operation at Paul for over 2,000 years.

The Archbishop of Florence is to pay a visit

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FROM CALCUTTAL PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

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Honghong, gold April, 1894.

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THE GENERAL MEETING of this Company has been POSTPONED until the 31st instant, at NOON. By Order of the Board of Directors.

R. B JOYCE, Hongkong, 20th May, 1804

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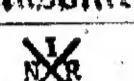
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Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited - \$34. buyers. Douglas Steamship Company-\$49, sales and

China Mutual Shippers Co., Ld.—(Preference),— £6 per share, nominal. China Mutual Shippers Co., Ld,--(Ordinary),-Ar per share, nominal,

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THE FRENCH MAIL.

The Messageries Maritimes Co.'s steamer Saghalien, with the outward French mall, lef Singapore on the 27th ultime, and may be expected here to-morrow.

THE AMERICAN MAILS.

The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Oceanic, with mails, &c., from San Francisco on the 8th instant, left. Yokohama on the 28th instant at davlight, and may be expected here on the ist

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer City of Rio de Fanciro, with malls, &c., left San Francisco for this port, via Yokohama on the 17th instant. NORTHERN PACIFIC MAIL

The Northern Pacific steamship Co.'s steamer Victoria left Victoria, B C., on the 16th instant.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer Palleurus left Singspore on the 24th instant, and may be at 5 P.M. expected here to-morrow. The C. M. steamer Pingsusy, from Glasgow

and Liverpool, left Singapore on the 25th inst. and may be expected here to-morrow. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Bombay left Bombay on the 21st instant, and may be expected here on the 8th proximo.

# Shipping.

ARRIVALS. HONGKONG, French steamer, 730, C. Bastran,

28th May,-Halphong 24th May, General. -A. R. Marty. PRRUSSEN, German steamer, 2,976, D. Högemann, 20th May,-Shanghai 26th May, Mails and General .- Melchers & Co.

NAMOA, Biltish steamer, 863, W. Thom, 29th May, Forchow 25th May, Amoy 26th and Swatow 28th, General .- D. Lapraik NATAL, French steamer, 1.984, H. Verron, 29th May,-Changhai 26th May, Mails and

General, -Mossageries Maritimes. TAMARIND, Norwegian steamer, 739, L. Costberg, 20th May,-Newchwang 22nd May, Beans and General .- Jardine, Matheson & Co. PRIVANG, Cerman steamer, 953, R. Kobler, 20th May, Canton 29th May, General, Siemtrea & Co.

ARRATOON AFCAR, British steamer, 1,392, F. Hanren, 29th May, -Calcutta rath May, DECIMA, German steamer, 965, C. Christensen, Penang 20th, and Singapore 23rd, Opium and General .- D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. BUCEPHALUS, British steamer, 1,192, J. M. Hay, 29'h May,-Ssigon 25th Rice and General.

-Geo. R. Stevens. ARIARI MARU. Japanese s'eamer, 1,905. A. DRYFESDALE, British steamer, 1,574, J. R. Murray, 20th May,--Kutchinotzu 24th May, Coals,-Mitsul Bussan Kalaha. SHANTUNG, British steamer, 1,535,, H. C. D Frampton, 20th May .- Amoy 27th May, General .. - Butterfield & Swire.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Avochie, Biltish steamer, for Saigon. Paiyang, German steamer, for Wohu. Activ. Danish steamer, for Holhow. Ulysses, British steamer, for Singapore, &c. Sikh, British steamer, for Amoy and Tacoma. Wingsong, British steamer, for Singapore, &c. Foklen, British steamer, for Swatow, &c. Kweiyang, British steamer, for Foochow.

May 28, Choysang, British steames, for Canton, May 28, Kwellin, British steamer, for Canton. May 20. Ulysus, British steamer, for Singapore May 29, Wingsang, British str., for Singapore

and Calcutta. H. G. Brown & Co., Limited-\$7 per share, May 29, Sikk, British steamer, for Amoy and

May 29, Pelyang, German str., for Wuhu. May 29, Arroyo, British steamer, for Shanghall

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED.

Per Natal, from Shanghai for Hongkong .-Mr. W. Forester, and I Chinese, From Yokobame,-Mr. and Mrs. Taylor and servant, Messrs. José Martin and Sauvage. From Kobe. -Mesars. G. Acheson and C. David. From Shanghai for Salgon.—Mr. Maillard, I Japanese and I Chinere. For Siegapore.-Mersrs, Thoans and Hechter. For Marseilles. -Miss Ramkoff. Rev. Pimene, Messrs. R. Leschicky and C. Platt. From Yokohama for Saigon.-Mr. and Mrs. Adam de Villiers, 2 Infants and servant. For Singapore. - Messrs. A. R. Catto, Donaldson, and Morton. For Marsellies .- Mr. and Mrs. de Bondy, 2 infants, governess and servant. From Kobe for Singapore,-Messrs. Okura and Branstein. For Marseilles.-Mr. Araki. Per Preussen, from Shanghal.-Mesars. Lock-

head, Kelsall, and to Chinese. Per Namoa, from Foochow, &c.-Captain and Mrs. Harris, Mr. O. Johnson, and 40 Chinese. Per Hongkong, from Halphong.-8 Chinese.

Per Arratoon Apcar, from Calcutte, &c.Messre. E. Abbott, H. J. Nicholson, W. H. Smith, Master Smith, and 779 Chinese.
Per Bucephalus, from Szigon,-93 Chinese. DEPARTED

Per Sikh, for Hamburg.-Dr. Doberck.

The Norwegian steamship Tamarina reports that she lest Newchwang on the 22nd instant, and had fine weather and rather alrong moetly east winds to put

The German steamship Preusen reports that she left Wessung at 3 p.m. on the 26th Instant, and anchored outside the harbour at 6 a.m. Had fine weat? er throughout, The British cleamship Bucephalus reports EDWARD MAY, American bark, Ego, C. C.

that she lef Sigon on the 25th instant, and had light to moderate varible winds to ucon on the 28th, when easterly winds were mela with, and | FREMANDO, Norwegian burk, 350, E. Petterrain with moderate sea till arrival. The British steams Ip Arratoon Apear

reports that abele!: Calcutta on the 12th instant. La and experienced strong to moderate south-west monsoon in the Bay of Bengal. Left Penning on the 20 h. and Singapore on the 23rd. Experienced ight valiable wirds and colms to late to north; thence to post had moderate to light and north-east winds with fair weather throughout. ST. Parsed the British ship Columbia, in lat. 4.55 north and long, 105,35 east.

The British steamship Namoa reports that she left Foochow on the 25th instant, Amoy on the 25th, and Swatow on the 28th From Foochow to Amny had moderate north-easterly winds and rainy weather. From Amoy to Swatow had moderate north-east winds and cloudy weather. From Swatow to Pedro Blanco had light variable winds and fine clear weather; thence to porthad moderate north-east winds and cloudy weather. In Foochow the steamship Hadshin. In Amoy the Isteamsbips Halloong, Sungkiang, Belgic, Pekin, Albert, Cito, Cass, and H.M.S. Rattler. In Swatow the steamships Shantung, Tholes, and Pacting.

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SHIPPING IN HONGKONG

STEAMERS. ACTIV. Danish steamer, 355, H. W. Storm, 28th May,—Pakhoi 23rd May, and Holhow 26th General, Fowls and Pigs.-Arphold, Kar-

berg & Co. AGNES, French steamer, 290.—Geo, R. Stevens, ARDGAY, British steamer, 1,087, James Thom, 25th May,-Pasurwan (Java), 15th May, Sugar. - Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Avochie, British steamer, 1,050, Rowin, 21st May,-Saigon 17th May, Rice and Paddy. BISAGNO, Italian steamer, 1,490, E. Barabino,

26th May, -Singapore 19th May, General. Carlowi z & Co. BENMOHR, British steamer, 1,935. J. H. Clark, 19th May,-Salgon 15th May, Rice,-Gibb, Livingston & Co.

28th May,-Salgon 23rd May, Rice and Paddy.—Slemssen & Co. EVONHURST, British steamer, 1,163, T. Reese, 23'd May .- Salgon 18th May, Rice .- But-

terfield & Swire. Stewart, 26th May,-Mojl 20th May, Coals. ETHIOPE, British steamer, 1,997, F. Wankel, 17th

May, Kutchinotsu 12th May, Coals .-Mitsui Bussan Kaisha. FAME, British steamer, 117, Captain Stopani.-Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co.'s tug.

GLENVALLOCH, British steamer, 1,434, T. Darke, 28th May,-Wuhu 22nd May, and Chinklang 24th, Rice .- Jardine, Matheson & Co. GWALIOF, British steamer, 1,648, C. F. Denny, 24th May, -Saigon 20th May, General. -P. & O. S. N. Co.

HAIPHONG, French steamer, 872, H. Galetti 9th May,-Haiphong 7th May, General -Messageries Maritimes. HUPRH, British steamer, 1,848, Quail, 27th

May, Java 17th May, Sugar. Butterfield IMACOS, No wegian steamer, 577, L. Olsen, 17th May,-Singapore 21st April, Timber,-

KWEIYANG, British steamer, 1,093, A. W Outerbridge, 27th May,-Canton 27th M 1y, General.-Butterfield & Swire. Mogur, British steamer, 1,827, T. Golding, 23rd May,-Tacoma, U.S., 25th April, Flour and

General.—Dodwell, Carlill & Co. NINGPO, German steamer, 762, Thos. Lehmann, -27th May,-Canton 27th May, General.-Siemssen & Co.

PEMPTOS, German steamer, 4,541, P. Cornelsen, 25th May,-Mejl 19th May, Coals,-Siemssen & Co. PERU, American steamer, 3,528, D. E. Friele,

21st May,-San Francisco 28th April, and Yokohama 16th May, Mails and General,-P. M. S. S. Co.

RA NANG, British steamer, 1,021, W. H. Watton, 24th May, -Bangkok, and Koh-sichang 18th May, General,-Yuen Fat

RA CHOM KLAO, British steamer, 1,012, J. Fewler, 26th May,-Bangkok 19th; May, and Koh-si-chang arst, General, -Yuen Fat

PRAYA, 130, Captain MacIsaac,-Hozekong Government Tender.

RIVERSDALE, British steamer, 1,110, Ed. Peck, 27th May, Hongay 23rd May, Coals,lardine. Matheson & Co. SIAM, British steamer, 992, J. F. Messer, 24th May,-Bangkok 12th May, and Koh-sichang 18th, Wood and Rice.-Bradley

STRATHDER, British steamer, 1,709, Forsyth, Ath May,—Moji (Japan), 28th April, Coal.— Dodwell, Carilli & Co. TAI-CHEOMG, German steamer, \$28, F. Duhme,

24th May, -Salgon 20th May, Rice, -TAIVICE, German steamer, god, R. Schuldt, Sist May, Canton sist May, General. Moyer & Co.

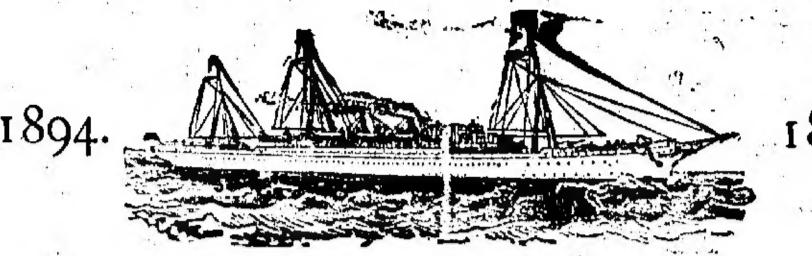
ADAM W. SPIES, American bark, 1,178, C. N. Meyers, 15th April,-New York 1st Nov., Kerosene Oil,-Jardine, Matheson & Co. G. Ropas, American ship, 2,342, D. H. Rivers, 18th May,-New York 19th Jan., Kerosene Oil.-Jardine, Matheson & Co.

McClare, 28th April,-New York 3rd Nov., Kerosene Oll.-Stewan & Co. sen, oth May, Gorentale and Apell, Ratiess -- Bun Moh & Co. SCHEPP, American of ip. 3.776, Chas. S.

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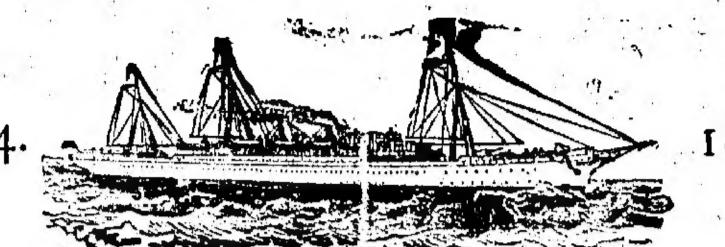
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